UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

PUBLIC CITIZEN CRITICAL MASS ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM, and NUCLEAR INFORMATION AND RESOURCE SERVICE,)))
Petitioners,)
v.	No. 04-1059
UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION, and THE UNITED STATES,) 04-1559 (.5 F CH)
Respondents.)) _)

PETITION FOR REVIEW

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 2342, 2344; 42 U.S.C. § 2239; and Fed. R. App. P. 15, petitioners PUBLIC CITIZEN CRITICAL MASS ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM and NUCLEAR INFORMATION AND RESOURCE SERVICE hereby petition this Court for review of the final rule issued by respondent UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION governing Changes to Adjudicatory Process, which was published in the Federal Register on January 14, 2004 at 69 Fed. Reg. 2182, and is appended hereto.

Venue for this petition is initially proper in this Court. 28 U.S.C. § 2343. However, a petition for review of this same order was filed in the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit on January 27, 2004. See Citizens Awareness Network, Inc. et al. v. United States, No. 04-1145 (1st Cir.). Therefore, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2112(a)(5), this Court is required to transfer proceedings on the instant petition for review to the First Circuit.

Respectfully submitted,

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